MEXICO, March 16, 1854.

Cabinet Difficulties of Santa Anna—Feeling of the People -The Attempt at Revolution-Progress of the Insurrection in the South-Tactics of Alvarez-Santa Anna in the Field-The Gadaden Treaty Millions-Maxico disporing of the Cash a ready-A Scheme for a Spanish

In compliance with your request I willingly give you some information in regard to matters in this country, about which the press in the United States is so generally

assuing erroneous statements and opinions. commence by saying that this republic is now passing a crisis most difficult of solution,—not so much from the distracted and unfortunate state of the country itself, as from the fact that the men at the wheel of government are incapable of understanding from whence arise the difficulties which now threaten us. Not one of the present ministers is qualified for his post. The result is

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Revolution, or rather armed insurrection, has become at last the normal condition of the country; so much so, that a revolution here or there, one more or less, is viewed with indifference.

The government of Santa Anna has been but eleven months in existence, but during this short period four distinct attempts have been made to overthrow it.

The rebellion of Vera Cruzin May of the past year; that of Gunajuato in October; and now the one in the south of Mexico, all indicate that so discord and dissolution, which will inevitably unfold themselves if Santa Anna does not take care to surround himself with more capable and intelligent men.

The news which we have received from the revolution in the south is very contradictory. Much importance is given to it by some, while others affect to despise it. From my knowledge of the country, I can assure you that Alvarez will continue to exercise his power over the inhabitant, the greater proportion of which in the south of Mexico, are half civilized Indians. These bandit tribes rejoice in Alvarez, their chief.

The government troops sent in that direction have acmplished nothing—and now, even though commanded y Santa Anna in person, they can do nothing. Alvarez, y confining himself to his more than Alpine fastuceses, tranceasable and secure.

Everybody here is waiting for the ratification of the eaty—Gadsein treaty so called—because without the material aid? derived from it, Santa Anna will never able to carry out his designs.

Fifteen millions of dollars is a nice saug sum, even here; at it is feared, and with reason too, that if received it will be both quickly and foolishly spent.

A syet we have no notice of the payment of the first cent; but with a coolness peculiar to

apon a dying country.

The packet leaves, and I must close, but in my next I will give you still more important intelligence. In the meantime, you may depend that I shall only write what I know to be the truth.

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Theatres and Exhibitions.

Bowry Theatre.—Mr. S. W. Glenn, one of the best actors in the Bowery company, has a benefit this evening, when the new drama, "Hot Corn," and Sheridan Knowles' play, in fire acts, of "William Tell," will be played.—Mr. Eddy as Tell.

Broadway Theatre.—Mr. Forrest will, this evening, repeat his performance of Shylock, in the "Merchant of Venice." The cast of the piece in the subordinate characters is excellent.

Control of the piece in the subornmant characters is excellent.

Burron's Theorem.—"David Copperfield" and the Laughing Hyena" are announced for this evening. Mr. Burton and his excellent company appear in both pieces.

NATIONAL THEATRE. - ' Uncle Tom's Cabin' this eve-MAINSAL PHEATRE.—"Uncle Tom's Cabin" this evening—Miss Cordelia Howard as Eva.

WALLACK'S THEATRE.—This evening, Mrs. Blake takes a benefit, when Arnold's comedy, "Man and Wife," will be given. Mr. Blake, Mrs. Blake, and Mr. Lester are included in the cast. The drama of "Ernestine" will also tgiven.

BARNOM'S MUSEUM.—The usual afternoon performance ill be given to-day, and in the evening the local drama the old Brewery," will be given.

REGADWAY MENAGERIE.—Everybody ought to go and see is great Russian giant now on exhibition at 337 Broaday. There are many other interesting things in the

Exhibition.

HANT'S WHOLE WORLD, now on exhibition at 377 Broad way, is worth a visit, and both amusement and instruction may be derived from a view of it.

CHERST'S MINISTRIES, No. 472 Broadway, offer a fine programme for this evening's concert. It is plea antly alternated with songs, choruses, burlesques, and so forth.

Minstrels. They are second to none in New York.

CHINESE HALL—Buckley's Minstrels, with Eph. Horn

and T. F. Briggs, are drawing large houses. Eph. Horn is funnier than ever. Chinese Hall is No. 539 Broadway. THE CAMPBEL MINURES will remain but two nights nore at 495 Broadway. They are excellent in their way,

deserve public patronage.

Signor Bill'z gives an entertainment it Commercial Hall, Williamsburg, this evening.

Mr. Barry salled to Liverpool, per Africa, yesterday. A large number of his personal and theatrical friends made their adjects to him at Jersey City. Mr. J. B. Wright is now stage manager of the Broadway theatre.

Court of General Sessions.

Appn. 5.—The court was obiged to adjourn to-day without disposing of a single case that renained on the calendar, in consequence of the non-attendance of wit-

without disposing of a single case that remained on the calendar, in consequence of the non-attendance of witnesses.

The Grand Jury entered the room about ball-past 11 of clock, and, having delivered a batch of indictments to the court, desired to have the following document read, so that the public might form some idea of the lack of necommodations in the shape of a suitable room for the transaction of their business:—

FRESENTHENT OF THE GRAND JURY.

GRAND JURY ROOM, April 5, 1854.

The Grand Jury desire to represent to the Court that the room appropriated to their use is unsuitable and entirely inadequate for the proper accommodation of themselves and the witnesses in attendance on them. On the first day of the term they had the use of Judge Reebe's chambers; yesterday they were removed into the First district Court-room. No room has been provided for the use of the witnesses waiting examination, and they are compelled to remain standing in the halls of the building, exposed to the cold and changing atmosphere; and, as a consequence, many wander off, and when called are not got hand.

The business of the Grand Inquest is constantly liable to be interrupted and delayed, and they feel it their duty to make this presentment, in order that the evil complained of may be remedied without delay.

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The Recorder stated that in conferring with the District Attorney, he thought the only way to alleviate the evil would be for that body to adjourn until Monday next, when, by that time, the proper authorities would no doubt restore them their former room, or provide one more smitable than the one they now occupied; and, in conclusion, informed the Grand Jury that a copy of their presentment would be sent over to the Board of Councilismen, who would then, he hoped, act favorably neon a resolution passed in the Board of Aldermen, regtoring them their old room.

Personal Intelligence.
Rav Dr. Berg, Philadelphia; Dr. Regers, Washington;
Uol Stepton U.S. A.; H. W. Spence, Ealtimore; George
B. Upson, Boston—were among the arrivals yesterday at
the St. Nicholas.

J. Camp. Utica; M. Elliott, Philadelphia; W. Legare, France; H. Jameson, Boston; H. Chapman, Columbus— prrived yesterday at the Prescott.

J. A. Rose, San Francisco; W. G. Clary, North Carolina; Rev. Dr. Vsil, Somera, Ct., Dr. Koohn, Sandwich Islands; Geo. Kelly, Augusta, Ga. J. Keihl, Philadelphia; Geo. B. Perse, Detroit; J. Holden, Canada, are among the arri-gale at the Howard Hotel.

Hon. L. S. Chatfield, N. Y.; Hon. Geo. Bliss, Hon. Geo. Sisman, Springfield, Mass., Col. Mansield, Col. Sumner, C. S. A. Hon. Amos Kendall, Washington; Hon. Edward Dickin, on and family, Mass., were among the arrivals Yesterda, at the Astor House.

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DEPARTURES.

For Liver's of in the steamship Africa:—Mr Edward Coffin, Mr and Mrs Maynard, Miss Fanny Williams and miss, Mr and Mrs Asarks, child, and infant, Toronto, C. W., Ar and Mrs Clarifae, Rowe, and Schildren, West Indies, Mr and Mrs Ed. Binckbo, no. 4 children, and unres, Mr and Mrs Ed. Binckbo, no. 4 children, and unres, Mr and Mrs Ed. Binckbo, no. 4 children, and unres, Mr and Mrs Ed. Binckbo, no. 4 children, and unres, Mr and Mrs Ed. Binckbo, no. 4 children, and unres, Mr and Mrs Ed. Binckbo, no. 4 children, and unres, Mr and Mrs Ed. Binckbo, and the Windows, Mr Evon, Philadelphia, C. Canda: Spain, Francisco Xavier, Arana, Spain, Mr Bernet, Chandis Josephin, New York, Mr Castillon, Mr Mr Benyth, N. 4. Nr Thurston, do, Mr Evon, Philadelphia, C. Mr Hinricha, M. V. Al Hoe, N. Y. Mr Hodybausen, N. Y. Mr Horbard, Strates, C. K. Doane, Coan, Mr Do, ellas, Indiana, Allon Gilman, Montreal, T. Fielding, N. Y. Captain Lowe, England, Mr Windows, N. Y. Mr Morris, Eng. Mr. Parker, Eng. Mr. Keisel, Eng. L. Duran, N. Y. F. Duran, N. Y. Mr Al wave, Chill; Riva Agnero, Unlil J. H. Engelberti, N. Y. Chas Zion, N. Y. Hon Gerard Noel, Eng. Capt Hamilton, And Mr Hots, Aguero and anugater, Chill; Thos Barry and Don, N. Y. Riumes, N. Y. Soaquin Europea, (Secretary of Legation as Washington) Spain, Capt B. np. Delano, N. Y. Mr Joseph, M. Y. Loue, Mr. Y. Collorson, R. A. Eng. Beate, M. White, and nephes, N. Y. Mr Schweldel, Geomeny, Fr. Taylor, N. Y. Collorson, N. Y. Bertian, N. Y. W. Summer and Mr Mas Orner, Chill, Portan, N. Y. Bertian, N. Y. W. Summer and Mr Mas Orner, Chill, Portan, N. Y. Bertian, N. Y. Mr Schweldel, Geomeny, Mr. Taylor, N. Y. Collorson, R. A. Eng. Lieut Shakeriey, R. A. Mr Haie, Portan, N. Y. Bertian, N. Y. Mr Schweldel, Geomeny, Mr. Toronto, Cart Hamilton and Portan Allerson, Cart Hamilton and Portan Child. Portan Allerson, Cart Hamilton and Portan and Mr. Roynett, Boston, Cart Hamilton and Portan and Mr. Roynett, Boston,

From Havana, in bark Corselia—J Rivas, P Heinandez, G Uncal, H Felix.

From New Orleans and Havana, in the steamship Empire City—F C May A and C Mantinni, Mas Smith, Mas W R Jones, Jr. child and servant, Miss Warrick, Miss W T Hawes, J Hield and Indy, Mrs Rogers, Mrs Areington and tires children. Mrs Johnson and nicee, F Govin and family, J Terry, J H Felix, A Warbury, Miss Ragory and child, R McCheyne, C Donnetti and family, Juan Birch, H Roseberry, and many others in the steerage.

From New Orleans, in the steamship Star of the South—Mrs J Hampson and son, Miss Daniels, Miss Kendrick, Mrs J P Dair, W R B Shephard, Dr N Perrant, T Martin, D Wells, T F Cormick, C Poor, G Poak, R and W Roney, J Hogan, C Steward, Master J Williams, and twelve in the steerage.

Hogan, Coteware, Marsey of Holland, States, States, States, From Savannab, in the steamship Augusta—J Vandermark, Mrs C Barnes, Mrs M Gilbert, G A Gilbert, Mrs E Marsey, Mrs Davon, G B Heard, Mrs C Harles, Mrs Davon, G B Heard, Mrs ert and child, A Hughes, Mrs Devcau, G B Heard, Mrs istic. Mrs Morland, Mrs Smith and danghter, Miss Ith, Miss Miller, J McCluskey, A Smith, E Sweeney, J J Joney and lady, D Rice, G B Williamson, G Cornwell, J Jy, Miss Cunningham, G Gregory, Lady, child and sert, A McJ Henderson, Miss Henderson, A G Carswoll, C disworth, Miss Harmony, L H Church and lady, and 70

eras!. Manila, in ship Ino-I Harling, Jr. N Huart, late bark Mary Adams, of Beston, burnt at sea, C F officer of bark Mary Adams, of Boston, burnt at soa; Williams.
From St Thomas, in ship Raritan—Henry Lawson.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

HONEY MARKET. WEDNESDAY, April 5—6 P. M. This has been a blue day in Wall street among holders of fancy stocks. It was a very serious time for the bulls at the First Board, but they stood up to the torture bravely. Every fancy on the list fell off largely. We have not a single exception to quote. The amount of stock offering at the decline was unusually heavy, and the bears freely put out time contracts, in the face of the depreciation. It requires some nerve to do this; but it must be admitted that the future looks much brighter for sellers than for buyers, even at present prices. At the First Beard to-day, Delaware and Hudson declined 1 per cent; New York Central Bonds, 1/4; Morris Canal, 1/4; Canton Company, 1; Fiorence and Keyport, %; Nicaragua Transit, 16; Cumberland Coal, 16; Parker Vein, 16; Crystal Palace, 9; New York Central Railroad, 114; Pa nama Railroad, 1; Stonington, 14; Eric Railroad, 114 Harlem, 16; Reading Railroad, 76; Michigan Central Railread, 1. It is probable that a slight temporary reaction may be realized. If so, it would be wise for present lders to reduce their supplies. By distributing the burden we shall avoid panies, those severe and sudden fluctuations which are so frequent when the fancies are concentrated in weak hands. Such depreciations as that reported to-day must ultimately accumulate stocks in the hands of those who have means to carry them, when

we shall find the lowest level.

At the second board the decline continued, and prices closed below those current at the first board. Illinois Central bonds fell off, & per cent; Florence and Keyport, 1; Nicaragua Transit, &; Reading Railroad, &; Eric Rail-road, &. The panic has probably spent itself, and the

probability is that prices will be slightly better to-morrow. The steamship Africa, from this port for Liverpool, to-

about 7,000 acres of land, under most of which the peculiar ceal bed which it proposes to work lies to a thickness of three feet. It has been opened at fifteen places and is everywhere the same. The capital of the company has been fixed in a singular manner. The charter appointed Professor B. Silliman, Jr., George D. Prentice, and Bryan R. Young, to examine the property, and find what would be the probable annual profit of working the coal bed. They estimated that under proper management, it should return \$600,000 a year to its owners. The act stated that the company should not have a capital on which they could not make a yearly dividend of 12 per cent; the Commissioners therefore suggested four millions as a safe figure, and the Governor fixed it at that sum by proclamation. The peculiarities of the Breckenridge coal are, that it can be lit with a match or a piece of paper; that it emits a bright hot flame; that it does not split or shrivel; and that it contains more gas than any coal known except the Scotch bog-

The plot thickens on the other side of the Atlantic. Movements on the great political chess-board are concentrating, and before the lapse of many days, a blow will be struck that will commence a war of much greater mag-It will not be a war of a few weeks or months, but one of years; and before it has progressed far, the resources of every nation engaged will be drained to their utmost. Preparations for commencing hostilities have required the contraction of loans for upwards of fifteen hundred million of francs, and the probability is that the first twelve months will completely use up that amount. We have as yet seen no announcement that England contemplates an immediate loan, and it is possible a year or so may elapse before an actual increase is made to her pre-sent enormous debt, but the additions to taxation already made are equal to an increase of at least ten million pounds sterling. Russia has made forced loans by is-suing an unredeemable paper currency to an unlimited amount. Perhaps five hundred million of francs would hardly cever the amount made available by this system of financiering. We annex a table showing the new loans recently, directly and indirectly, contracted by each na-

of things in Europe. A vast difference of opinion existed a few months since regarding the effect of a general war upon trade and commerce; but now there appears to be but one opinion upon the subject. No one now doubts for a moment that the consequences must be most deplorable to every important foreign interest. The resources of each country involved in struggle must be sentenced. taxed, every branch of industry orippled, if not utterly destroyed, and ruin, distress, and desolation appear at every step. Burdened as those countries already are with immense debts, the people already taxed almost beyond their means, it can easily be seen that not one of them is in a condition to carry on a war of any magexpensive operations; but not so easy to carry them on successfully, or get out of them without enormous losses. Nothing can be gained by warfare at this age of the mibilating nations, and wars of conquest have long since ceased, at all events in Europe. There is, therefore, nothing to be gained in the present war—not even glory or plunder. It will produce nothing but death, disease, destruction, desolation, and despair, among the masses; and the energies, earnings, privations, and economy of ages will hardly suffice to restore the wealth, prosperity,

out Europe twelve months since. The financial and commercial classes cannot plate the present position of affairs without much apprehension. They are most deeply involved in a pecuniary sense, and must therefore watch the progress of events with much solicitude. It may be too late to adopt measures sufficiently precautionary to guard against all rewell acquainted with the intricate relations of all finan cial and commercial transactions, whether of foreign or domestic origin, that it is entirely out of the question to create any derangement or disturbance in the regular, legit mate movements of commerce, in one section of the world, without producing a corresponding effect throughout the entire system. It may therefore be too late to out the entire system. It may therefore be too jate to obviate entirely any unfavorable effect of the events which have already transpired in Europe, but we can guard against the future by withdrawing from opera-tions not absolutely necessary to keep the machinery of business in motion. It will be best to shut off a little steam, and go along at a moderate, safe speed, so as always to be under control and easy in hand. Contraction is the true policy in such times, and those who even commence now in good earnest, and adhere strictly to such a course, will escape serious embarrassments and difficulties. It may be difficult for those who are doing a large and apparently a prosperous business, to comprehend the dangers which actually, though invisibly, surround them; but it would be well for them to pause and consider their position, and see how easy all their fine prospects may be destroyed-how suddenly all the sunshine above them may be changed to dark and threatening clouds. It is our impression that the disastrous effect of the European war will exceed the most gloomy forebodings, and that it will cause more disastrous revulsions and revelutions in financial and commercial affairs than have been known in the history of the world.

By a report made to the Treasury Department it appears that the following denominations of gold and silver coins were on hand at the Mint of the United States, Philadelphia, April 1, 1854:-

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Double eagles	\$805,000	00
Eagles		
Half cagles		
Quarter eagles		
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Remnants, &c	16,772	10
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SILVER.		**,*******
I ollars	\$11,205	00
Half dollars		
Quarter dollars		
Dimes		

Half dimes. 57,700 00 Remnants, &c. 478 82

their evil fate. They bought the supplies from the manufacturors on credit, and without due discrimina-tion, hoping to be able to make something out of them. Their own carelessness has, therefore, undermined their success. Hence, sympathy they ought not to expect,

and they cannot secure.

Brown sheetings and shirtings are not quite so brisk, but command full prices. Pesirable makes of bleached goods are saleable and firm. Leading kinds of denims are in scanty supply and fair demand, at former quotations. Drills continue to find a ready market at well supported Drills continue to find a ready market at well supported figures. Duck is in lively request and very uniform in pice. It is rumered among the trade that our duck manufacturers are about acquiring customers in England, as their production is favorably received by Brilish ship-owers. Ginghams are without improvement. Lawns are quiet, yet stiffly held. Canabings are freely dealt in at huyant rates. Printing cloths are dell and heavy, though the amount in market is not unusually large. Prints, too, are depressed, and mostly unsaleable, except at a further material concession in value. Stripes and it is are in moderate demand and steady.

We amera a comparative statement of the shipments hence of cotton goods, during the first quarter of—
1849. 1859. 1851. 1852. 1853. 1854.

January, pkgs... 374. 645. 1,716. 322. 1,825. 269. February, "...1,696. 2,613. 864. 8,270. 4,797. 788.

March, "...1,222. 3,448. 9,013. 6,429. 1,633. 3,754.

Total......3,292 6,706 11,593 15,021 8,257 4,802 Woollen manufactures are not brisker nor firmer than we had occasion to notice in our previous review. Only the finest kinds of cassimeres are in request at former rates. The same remark is applicable to cloths. Doeskins are unchanged. Flannels and jeans are heavy and languid. Linseys are plentier and less inquired for, at drooping prices. There is a steady business daily transacted in mouslin de laines at satisfactory rates. Most styles of satinet are dull and heavy. Tweeds exhibit but little animation, and are hardly as valuable. Still, we can learn of no quotable alteration therein.

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| MINING BOARD. | 104\(\)
| 500 shs Ulster | 1\(\) 10 shs Llangollen | 5\(\)
| 50 Hiwassic | 5\(\) 100 Parker | 7\(\)
| 10 Rocky Bar | 40c

CITY TRADE REPORT.

WEDSHEDAY, April 5—6 P. M.

ASHES were quiet, and almost nominal in price.

BEFARETUFFS.—Flour was more sought for by consumers and speculators, at rather firmer rates. Shippers transacted very little business. The day's sales reached 9,000 bblst, very ordinary for choice State at \$7 a \$7 43\frac{1}{2}\text{c}\$ mixed to fancy Western at \$7 50 a \$7 879\frac{1}{2}\text{c}\$ and other kinds at proportionate figures. Sales were made of 1,100 bbls. Canadisn, in bond, at \$7 12\frac{1}{2}\text{c}\$ and 1,700 bbls. Southern, within our former range. Rye flour was unaltered. About 700 bbls. Mersey corn meal brought \$3 31 a \$3 37\frac{1}{2}\text{per bbl.} The transactions in wheat amounted to 2,800 bushels good Genesee white, at \$2 02; 4,500 Western red, at \$1 65; 2,100 Indiana do., slightly heated, at \$1 69; and 1,800 unsound Southern white, at \$1 40. Rye and oats were unchanged. Corn was unsettled, and closed with less firmness. The day's operations embrased 28,000 bushels, at 74c. a 75c. for mixed Southern; 76c. a 75c. for

1.800 unsound Southern white, at \$140. Rye and oats were unchanged. Corn was unsettled, and closed with less firmness. The day's operations embraced 28,000 bushels, at 74c. a 75c. for mixed Southern; 76c. a 78c. for round yellow and Southern white; and 78c. a 80c. for Southern yellow, per bushel.

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Coftes.—Sales were made of only 133 bales, as follows: for home use. 95; on speculation, 35. Market unsettled. Fixacitis.—Rates favored shippers. To Liverpool about 30,000 bushels of corn in bulk were engaged, on private terms, supposed to be at a figure under 10d. 1,700 bbls. rosin were taken at 4s. a 4s. 3d. Flour was dult at 3s. 3d. as. 3d. asked, and cotton at 7dd. To London and Havre, rates were more quiet, and to the latter port nominal. To California there were only four vessels up, against twenty-six at the same time last year. Rates varied from McBourne, Australia, and was filling pretty fast at 50c. per foot, measurement, and would have quick despatch. A ship to arrive in three or four menths, was chartered to load at Bic (British Frevinces) with lumber, for London at Bic (British Frevinces) with lumber, for London at 52 fod. Vessels continued to be-in good demand for coastwise and the West indian Islands at full rates. Figur.—There were 280 boxes bunch raisins purchased at \$2 00 a \$3 10.

Hay.—Some i, 200 bales river have been sold at 62%c. a 70c. per 100 lbs.

Hidden.—Hidden and 300 bales river have been sold at 62%c. a 70c. per 100 lbs.

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Hors were plentier and more in demand, at 27c. a 30c. per lb.
IRON.—About 150 tons Scotch pig brought \$42 per ton, usual credit.
MOLASES.—Some 250 bbls. New Orleans brought 25c.

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Line.—Rockland was scarce and quiet at old prices.

Olis.—Crude was more sought after, at 55c. a 57c. for whale, and \$1 43 a \$1 45 for sperm, per gallon. Olive was unaltered. The sales of linseed reached only 10,000 gallons, in lots, at 85c. a 87c. per gallon. Other kinds remained as last noticed.

Provisions.—Pork moved to the extent of only 340 bbls. in lots, at 814 50 for mess, and 812 a \$12 12½ for prime, per bbl. No change of interest occurred in cutments. About 860 bbls. fair to prime lard were procured at 9c a 9½c, per lb. The sales of beef embraced 300 bbls at steady prices. Ohio and State butter was procurable at 10½c, 13c., and 15c. a 19c. per lb. Fair to prime cheese was quiet, yet firm at 10c. a 12c. per lb. lick was but moderately inquired for at \$3 64½ a \$4 57½ for ordinary to prime, per 100 lbs.

SCGAIS.—Sales were made of 140 hbds New Orleans, at 4½c.; 250 do.. by auction, at 4½ a 5½; and 460 do. Cuba. at 4½c. a 4½c. per lb.

SOAP.—Another 100 boxes Castile changed hands to-day at 11½c, per lb.

do., 24½c.; 31 half chests gunpowder, 53½c.; 66 do, 52½c.; 10 do., 50c.; 9 do., 49c.; 30 do., 47c.; 45 do., 45c.; 12 do., 44c.; 131 do., 43c.; 58 do., 42½c.; 150 do., 42c.; 16 do., 40½c.; 43 do., 40c.; 58 do., 35½c.; 160 do., 42c.; 66 cases, each 4 boxes 13½ lbs., 41c.; 16 do., each 16 lb boxes, 36c.; 64 16 lb. boxes, 41c.; 16 do., each 16 lb boxes, 36c.; 64 16 lb. boxes, 41c.; 16 do., each 12 lb boxes, 36c.; 92 do., 57c.; 16 do., 85½c.; 17, each 4 12 lb boxes, 47c.; 56 12½ lb. boxes, 36½c.; 50 half chests Powchong at 24c.; 150 do., 25½c.; 350 do., 25c. 150 chests Souchong at 26c.; 82 hālf chests at 28c.

Withfurene—Polar was in better demand, at 35c. a 36c. per lb.

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Post Office.

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tohave a companion. This is a time opportunity for one wishing to make a purmanent and agreeable arrangement with a
reliable person. Address E. H. D., Herald office.

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A gle gentlemen, can be accommodated with board,
where there are no boarders; the house contains all the modern improvements, gas, bath room, &c. Apply at 39 Amos
street. References exchanged.

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A PARTMENTS WITH BOARD—WEST OF AND NEAR Broatway, consisting of rooms and suites of rooms, in the well furnished and very pleasant residence of Prince street. Baths and gas.

A PARLOR AND BEDROOM TO LET, FURNISHED, on the first of May, to one or two gentlemen, in the immediate vicinity of the St. Nicholas, Prescott and Metropolitan hotels. Apply at 117 Spring street, west of Broadway. A SPLENDID SUIT OF FURNISHED ROOMS, CON-A fishing of four or five apartments, to let, on the European plan, at No. 776 Broadway. The house is first class, and has all the modern improvements; is adapted for a faunity, or parties who wish to live well and enjoy the comforts of a home. Please apply from 12 to 2 o'clock P. M., when the rooms can be seen.

BOARD.—ROOMS, WITH BOARD, FOR GENTLEMEN and their wives, or for single gentlemen, can be obtained at 190 West Eighteenth street.

BOARD.—A PRIVATE FAMILY. OCCUPYING A first class house in Eighteenth street, near Fifth avenue, would let to a gautleman and wife a parler, unturnished, on the third fleor, either in front or rear, with bedroom and pantries attached. The house is replete with all the modern improvements. Dinner at 6 o'clock. Address Home, Herald office.

BOARD.—TWO YOUNG MEN, OR A GENTLEMAN and wife, can be accommodated with comfortable full or partial board and pleasant rooms, in a a small private family living in the upper part of the city, near several stage and railroad routes. Apply at 285 Third street, near avenue D.

BOARD.—TWO UNFURNISHED PARLORS ON THE first floor, with board: also, a parlor and bedroom on the second floor, with all the modernimprovements, gas and bath, from the 1st of May. Inquire at 278 Spring street. BOARD-A GENTLEMAN AND HIS WIFE CAN BE accommodated with an unfurnished room and board; also a single gentleman with a furnished room and hoard, by applying at 27 Washington Terrace, Heboken, N. J. Reference exchanged.

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Board.— GENTLEMEN AND THEIR WIVES, OR single gentlemen, can be accommodated with a hand-some parlor and bedroom attached, on second floor, or single rooms, with full or partial board, at 54 Bleecker street, near Broadway.

BOARD.—WITH PLEASANT AND WELL FURNISHof rooms, may be had at No. 113 Clinton place, between
Fifth and Sixth avenues.

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private family, pleasantly located, near Washington
square, and directly between two fluces of cantibuses. References exchanged. Apply at 22 Thompson street, between
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BOARD—RO AND AND KAST FOURTEENTH STREET, between Third and Fourth avenues.—The above new first class houses, with all the modern improvements, and newly furnished, are now ready to receive boarders. A few rooms and suits of rooms are unerged. Single gentlemen or families can have a choice of rooms by immediate application. A fine suit of parlors (three deep) on principal floor, furnished or unfurnished. References exchanged. BOARD-TWO UNFURNISHED PARLORS, WITH street, near Frince. Terms mederate, with board.

DOARD IN A PRIVATE FRENCH FAMILY.-TWO single gentlemen can be accommodated with pleasant reconscripts and back) and losed, in a private Franch family, residing at 100 Twelfth street, between University place and Firth avenue.

Board in Brooklyn.—Two Gentlemen Can Fave breakfact and ton, and dinner on Sundays, at 155 Fulton street, corner of High, Brooklyn. Gaslights in the bedroems.

Board in Brooklyn.—A Gentleman and His wife, or two single coutlemen, can obtain heard with D wife, or two single centlemen, can obtain board, with pleasant room on second floor, in a family where there are not few boarders, in a convenient location, ave minutes walk from Fulton ferry. Apply at No. 57 High street, Brooklyn

BOARD IN BROOKLYN -FOUR OR FIVE SINGLE gentlemen can have furnished hadrooms, partial heard and the comforts of a home, in a private family, at 194 Atlantic street, three minutes walk from South ferry. Good reference required.

Distinguished the general properties of a bone, five minutes walk from Peck slip ferry. Apply at Division aronue, corner of Bush street, tetween Second and Third streets.

BOARD WANTED-IN A PRIVATE FAMILY PRE. ferred, by two young men; would require one bedroom and full board. The situation must not be above Grand street. Address, stating terms fully, as no others will receive attention, Omar, herald office. References given.

BOARD WANTED BY A CENTLEMAN-IN A SMALL private family, where there are no other bearders, breakfast, tea and dinner on Saudays; location west of Breadway, between Washington square and Spring street, address Board Wanted, Herald office. DOARD WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE AND PIOUS ciderly lady, in a private family, where there are but a few bearders. She will furnish nor room and profers a lecation near Broadway, or in a street having the advantages of stages or cars. Address A. B., Herald office.

BOARD WANTED-ON STATEN ISLAND, BY TWO young gentlemen, for the summer months. A large bod-row on the first or second floor, with partial board. Address J. H., box 1,167 Fost Office, N. Y.

BOARD WANTED.—A WELL FURNISHED ROOM byth hoard for a young lady, in a strictly private family, the vicinity of Bleecker street preferred. Please address N. T., Herald office, stating terms, &c.

DOARD WANTED.—A GENTLEMAN AND HIS WIFE with board, and a room and bedroom, in a motern built house, with the use of gas and bath. A genteel German family preferred. The advertiser can furnish the rooms himself if required. Address G. F. H., Herad office.

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DOARD WANTED-BY A GENTLEMAN, WIFE, child and nurse, in a private family, where there are no other hearders, in the neighborhood of Broadway, and not above Twenty-third street. Address P. O. D. L., Herald office, stating location and terms, which must be moderate.

BOARD WANTED-FOR A LADY ONLY, WITH A nest room, is a family where there are but fow or no boarders. A widow lady preferred. Location not higher than Blocker street. Terms not be exceed \$5, which will be paid regularly in advance. Address Alpha, Hisrald office. BOARD WANGED-FROM ABOUT MAY 18T, WITHIN the hour was a half, by rail or sleam, from City Hall, for a gentleman, five oblideren, and norse; plentiful board sid healthful location requisite, for which a good price will be paid. Address how 1,1se Post Office, with particulars.

BOARD WANTED-BY A LADY, IN A SMALL PRIvate family, References texchanged. Please address
for three days, B. W., Herald office.

DOARD "ASTED-15 GUUTH BROOKLYN, WITHIN
1) ten minutes walk of liamilton avenue lorry, for a gentleman and lady, (full board for lady only 1 in a genteel private family; two unfurnished rooms required. Torins must
be moderate. Address Reberts, Reraid office, stating location, terms, &c.

Board WANTED-BY TWO YOUN, LADIES, IN A Board rame family, or in a respectable hoard. Louis; these not moving at May preferred, terms to be moderate. Reference given and required. Address S. M. D., Heraid office, for one week.

DOARD WANTED IN WILLIAMSBURG-IN A PRI-vate family, by a gentleman. Only such as give choice accommodations in a house with modern conveniences, need answer. Address Hutton, Herald office.

BOARDING.—TO LET, A LARGE FRONT PARLOR ON the second floor, also, a back parlor, neatly farnished, saitable for a gentlemen, and wife, or single greatlemen. The house is pleasantly leaded near St. Jone's Park, and has the convenience of latts. Apply at 27 North Moore at. BOARDING IN WILLIAMSBURG.-A GENTLEMAN and wife, and two or three single gentlemen, can be accommodated with good board and pleanant rooms, in the most pleasant part of the city, four minutes walk from Pook city ferry. Inquire at 117 South Eighth street.

BOARDING-A GENTLEMAN AND LADY CAN BE accommodated with a suite of rooms, handsomely fur-nished, in a private family, where the comforts of a home can be enjoyed; homes new with all the modern improve-ments; Twenty fourth street, west side. References re-quired. Address Jervis, Horald office.

BOARDING-AT 786 BROADWAY, CORNER OF Tenth street, one door west of Broadway. The above new first class house, with all the motern improvements is new ready to receive longiest (centrenen and their wives, and clause gentlemen, can new have a choice of recems in suites or single rooms, all hand-sensely fornished, and private table.

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BOARDING. - A SMALL PRIVATE FAMILY, LIVING in the Thirteenth ward, would let a front parlor and bedroom; also a back room neatly fornished, to a gentleman and wife. Address Home, Herald office.

BCARDING IN EROOKLYN.—TWO GENTLEMEN can be accommodated with a furnished room and partial heard, in a pleasant leation, ton minutes walk from Faiton forty. Terms Ex per week for both. References required. Address T. O. B., Herald office.

BOARDING.—A HANDSOMELY FURNISHED PAR board, to a gentleman and wife, without chifdren in a first class house. No. 37 Ninth street, near Fifth avenue.

BOARD.—A SUITE OF ELEGANTLY FURNISHED spartments, suitable for families or a party of gentienes; also rooms for single gentlemen, in a bouse replote with all the modern improvements: dinner at 6 o'clock. Apply at 151 Tenth street, corner of Fourth svenne.

BOARD WANTED IN HOBOKEN-FOR TWO SIN sle gentlemen, in a private family, price not to exceed per month. Address X. Y. Z. Hoboken, Herald office. BOARDING.—A CENTLEMAN AND HIS WIFE, AND two single gentlemen, can be accommodated with good beard and handsomely furnished rooms, where the comforts of a home may be expected. Apply at 14 Jones street, between Bleecker and Fourth streets.

BOARDING -A SUITE OF ROOMS, ALSO SINGLE rooms, to let for lodgings or with board. Would like some genteel family that wants to live nice. The house has the modern improvements. No. 92 Christopher street, corner of Bleecker.

BOARD.—ROOMS, FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED, on the or single gentlemen, with or without board, can be obtained by applying at No. 12 Neilson place, Mer-cer street, one door below Eighth street.

BOARD.—ROOMS OR BOARDERS CAN BE OBTAINED to suit all classes by applying to the agency, 73 East Fourteenth street, near Union square. Houses of respectability are solicited to register. Boarders are politicly directed, free of charge. Office hours from 9 A. M. to 6 P. M.

BROOKLYN.-TWO GENTLEMEN CAN BE ACCOM-be modated with single rooms, with board, in a house where few boarders are taken; on stage route, and within five min-utes walk of Fulton and Bridge street ferries. Terms me-derate. Apply at 113 Sands street, Brooklyn. COUNTRY BOARD WANTED—FROM MAY FIRST. for a family of three grown persons and three children, in a farm house preferred, convenient of access to the city by railroad or stemboat. Address box 512 Post Office, poet paid, stating location, terms, &c.

COUNTRY BOARD WANTED—IN A PRIVATE FARM-louse, near the water preferred, by a gentleman, his wife, infant, and servant; the location must be perfectly healthy, and free from unisance. Any one having accommo-dations answering to the above, may address a line to Xerxas, Herald office.

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The Rom First of May—Suits of Elegant apartments, swity furnished, for gentlomen and their wives and rooms for single gentlemen, can be let, with full board in the first class house SI Madison avenue. Dinner at 6 cicoke, Gaelight, baths, &c. English and French spoken. Apply on the premises, or to F. S. Kirtland, 64 Massau st.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET—IN BROADWAY, above Broome street, suitable for single centiemen, in a respectable private house. The rooms communicate, and have panticles, gas, &c., strached. Apply at 502 Broadway, nemly opposite the St. Nieholas Hetel.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET-WITHOUT BOARD, at 22 Waverley place.

FURNISHED ROOMS (OR UNFURNISHED) IN THE Foscond story, suitable for a gentleman and his wife, or single gentlemen, may be obtained, with board, at No. 228 West Fourteenth street. References exchanged. Haths and gas in the house.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET-IN THE FIRST CLASS house, No. 15 State street, fronting on the Battery, with or without partial board. Apply on the premises.

TURNISHED ROOMS. — GENTLEMEN WISHING Pleasant rooms, by making permanent arrangements, can be accommodated on reasonable terms, at 224 Greene street; also, a basement to let for an office. No moving the ensuing year. Reference required.

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CENTLEMEN, OR A GENTLEMAN AND WIFE, Willing to pay reasonably for a very nicely furnished parlor and bedrooms in a gented location, can be accommodated at No. 7 Bleecker street, east of Broadway; meals served if desired. None need apply but persons of the first respectability.

HOBOKEN — BOARD IN A PRIVATE FAMILY.—
A suit of rooms for a gentleman and wife; also rooms for single gentlemen, may be obtained at No. 15 Hudeen Terrace—Block fronting ferries. Location unsurpassed; house first class, good accommodations, furnished, and liberal prices expected, References exchanged.

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SINGLE GENTLEMEN AND FAMILIES CAN OBTALE DOMESTAL IN a house containing all the modern improvements baths, gas, &c., No. 215 West Thirtieth street, between highth and Ninth avenues. Board full or partial. Apply at No. 2 Jay street, corner of Hudson.

TWO OR THREE SINGLE GENTLEMEN, CAN BE accommodated with pleasant rooms and good board, in first class house, No. 2 Leroy place, Bleecker street. The bouse is previded with the modern improvements. Dinace at six o'clock. French and English spoken. THEREE OR FOUR SINGLE GENTLEMEN, OR A gentleman and wife, can be accommedated with double and single rooms on the second and third floor; modern in-provements; only five or six bonders taken; family pri-vate. Location decirable. Cars and stages near. No. 300 Twelth street, second door from Second avonae.

WANTED.-BOARD WANTED, WITHOUT ROOMS, for three young men, in the vicinity of the St. Nicholas Botel. Address A. W. & A., Broadway Post Office.

\$200 - A PARTNER WANTED IN A READY cash business, without opposition, in the city, established six years. The business will yield about \$150 et month profit. Also, a person wanted wish \$1,003, as agont, Apply so HOWES & HAMMOND, 31 Nassau street.

A PARTNER WANTED—IN A BUSINESS THAT pays 500 per cent, with a capital of \$350. None need apply except these who have got the above amount. Apply to Howes & Hammond, 81 Nassau street, room No. 6, second floor. BUSINESS OR PARTNERSHIP WANTED -AN BIG Using entieman, of business habits, and who is a good countant, with from \$2.000 to \$3,000 at command, wisher o invest the same in the purchase of a business or abresses, or abresses or abresses or abresses or abresses or abresses and research in New York Persons estront of treat, will please address in the first instance, rith about particulars, P. D., Herald office. None made with about particulars, P. D., Herald office.

DISSOLUTION.—THE CO-PARTNERSHIP HERETOfore existing under the firm of Brown, Olmatead & Co.
is this day dissived by limitation.
WILLIAM E. BROWN,
HIRAM OLMSTEAD,
JOHN B. PROST.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP. OF THE FIRM of Thompson & Buckenbam, has taken place this day, by mutual consent. All claims or demands upon the firm will be settled by the ramaining member of said partnership, Isaac Thompson. THOMPSON & BUCKENHAM.

DISSOLUTION.—THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOfore existing between William H. Stuart and John K.
Hors. under the firm of Wm. H. Stuart & Co., was dissolved
this day by mutual consent. All persons indeited to said
frm are requested to call and make payment to John K.
Hors. who is duly authorized to use the name of the firm in
sattling up the concern.

WM. H. STUART.
New York, April 5, 1864.

JOHN K. HORA.

NOTICE—THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing under the firm of CARPENTER, SMITH & WOOD, livery stable keepers, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be continued by SMITH, WOOD & OLIVER. New York, April 1, 1854.

PARTNER WANTED-WITH A SMALL CAPITAL, to take chargold one of France's portable steam saw mills, about to be erected in Jersey City, for aswing all kinds of timber. The mill is well salculated for the business, and can be put in operation immediately.

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York workman, with a capital of a thousand dollars,
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possessing the proper qualineations and capable of taxing
charge of the sign painting department would be liberally
dend with Address, estating particulars, (which will oe
strictly confidential,) R. W. G., Broadway Post Office.

WANTED—A PARTNER, WITH A CAPITAL OF \$5,000 or \$6,000, in a distillery business, now already in operation. Through a secret in the fabrication the advertiser can keep the market with any importers in this country and pay more than 100 per cent. For further particulars address Z. Z., Herald office.

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The subscriber (plones; of the California express basics) has arranged an express to forward passongers and bagings over the estimus of Panama. Will leave Now York, por steamer North Star, April 7 (and each successive trip) and will persenally attend to the despatch and comfort of the through passengers, especially ladies and children, across the 1sthmus. An express mail will close at 2% and 5 through in twenty-one days, by the new and fact steamers certification and the statement of the s

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